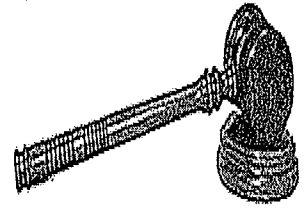


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**CITY COUNCIL MEETING
JULY 9, 2009
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
WALLACE J. PUCHALSKI MUNICIPAL BUILDING
212 MAIN STREET, NORTHAMPTON**

Public Comment - 7:15 P.M.

Finance Meeting - 7:20 P.M.

Regular Meeting - 7:30 P.M.

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

- **ROLL CALL**
- **APPROVAL of MINUTES – June 18, 2009**
- **RESOLUTIONS-**
 - **Acceptance of Donation of Land for Purpose of Passive Recreation, Conservation and Agriculture Consistent with Article 97 of the Amendments to the Constitution of Massachusetts RE: MAP ID 39-046 at Potash and Manhan Roads (Needs 2ND Reading)**
 - **Authorize to Purchase 97 Acres on Haydenville Road along Beaver Brook for Conservation and Authorize Borrowing to Make Project Eligible for Self-Help Funding (Needs 2ND Reading)**
 - **Authorize to Purchase 12 Acres on North King Street Adjacent to Fitzgerald Lake Conservation Area (Needs 2ND Reading)**

- **2009 LICENSE RENEWALS–**

- Taxi License – My Taxi, Inc./Katherine E. Hogan, 1 Roundhouse Plaza, Northampton, MA
- Dealers in Second Hand Articles - The Turn-Around Shop, 30 North Maple Street, Northampton, MA

- **COMMITTEE REPORTS –**

- Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs minutes of May 18, 2009
- Transportation and Parking Commission minutes of May 19, 2009

- **ORDERS –**

- Adopt the Order of Taking: Look Park – Permanent Easement– RE: Parcel 16A-002-001 42 S.F. more or less (*DPW request to table from May 21, 2009*)
- Acceptance of David Ruggles Center Historic Preservation Restriction (Needs 1ST Reading)
- Question to Be Placed on November 3, 2009 Election Ballot (Needs 1ST Reading)
- FY2009 Budgetary Transfers (Needs Two Readings) **REVISED**
- Transfer from Receipts Reserved Account for Ambulance Fees (2335231-340660) to Eleven EMS Accounts (Needs Two Readings)
- Accept Provisions of MGL Chapter 64L, § 2A to Impose a Local Sales Tax Upon the Sale of Restaurant Meals (Needs 1ST Reading)
- Accept Provisions of MGL Chapter 64G, § 3A to Increase Local Room Occupancy Excise Tax Rate (Needs 1ST Reading)
- Adjust Exemptions for Eligible Property Owners Pursuant to Provisions of MGL Chapter 59, §5, cl. 41C (Needs 1ST Reading)
- Appropriation of \$40,000 from Community Preservation Act funding to the Florence Civic and Business Association Historic Preservation Project (Needs 1ST Reading)
LATE FILE

- **ORDINANCES –**

- Amend §350-11.4 Expedited Permitting Process for Renewable/Alternative Energy Facility (Recommended by Planning Board, Committee on Economic Development, Housing and Land Use and Committee on Elections, Rules, Ordinances, Orders and Claims) (Needs 2ND Reading)

- **Amend §350-8.8 Standards for Private, Individual Driveways (Refer to Committee on Elections, Rules, Ordinances, Orders and Claims, to Planning Board, and to Committee on Economic Development, Housing, and Land Use)**
- **Amend §350-3.4 & Attachment 1:1 Rezone Residential Areas of Watershed Protection (WP) to Special Conservancy and Drop WP in Areas Outside of Floodplain (Refer to Committee on Elections, Rules, Ordinances, Orders and Claims, to Planning Board, and to Committee on Economic Development, Housing, and Land Use)**

- **NEW BUSINESS –**

- **Request to Set Pole Petition Hearings for August 20, 2009 at 8:00 p.m.:**
 - **Rocky Hill Road**
 - **Westhampton Road**

- **ADJOURN -**